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TAGS: OEXC SCUL KPAO

SUBJECT: FY'05-AFRP: "Higher Education in the U.S.,"

February 7-25, 2005

REF: STATE 347575

START FIXED-FORMAT TEXT (PLEASE DO NOT EDIT):

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TRANSMITTING-POST: PAS Kinshasa

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START NOMINATION:

ECA-OFFICE: E/VGA

PROG-AGENCY-NAME: Meridian International Center

POST-PROJ-ID: 41

ECA-PROJ-NO: E/VGA-2005-0005

PROJ-NAME: Higher Education in the US FY'05

START MEMO PROJ-DESC:

This project will provide a comprehensive introduction to U.S

higher education at both public and private institutions in the  
United States.

END MEMO PROJ-DESC:

PROJ-TYPE: Regional

PROG-TYPE: IV Grant Visitor

FY: 2004

DEPART-POST: 02/04/2005

SESSION-DATE: 02/07/2005

RETURN-POST: 02/26/2005

NO-OF-PART: 1

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START MEMO POST-RCMD:

END MEMO POST-RCMD:

ECA-OFFICE-ID: 1035

PROG-AGENCY-ID: 1287

PROJ-TYPE-ID: RP

PROG-TYPE-ID: 29

NOMINATING-POST-ID: 4307

FUNDING-CNTRY-ID:

STATUS: N

ORIGINATOR: U

SUBJ-DISC: University Administration

START BIO:

PREFIX: Mr.

F-NAME: Baudouin

M-NAME: Wikha

L-NAME: Tshibinda

SUFFIX:

POSITION-CODE: 212

PRINCIPAL? Yes

GENDER: M

DOB: 08/11/1969

MAR-STAT: M

BIRTH-CITY: Kolwezi

BIRTH-CNTRY: Democratic Republic of Congo

CITIZ-CNTRY: Democratic Republic of Congo

RES-CNTRY: Democratic Republic of Congo

START MEMO POSITION:

Judicial Advisor, University of Lubumbashi

END MEMO POSITION:

START MEMO OTHER-POSITIONS:

END MEMO OTHER-POSITIONS:

START MEMO PREV-POSITIONS:

2000: Legal Adviser, University of Lubumbashi, Katanga

1999: Legal attach, University of Lubumbashi, Katanga

END MEMO PREV-POSITIONS:

START MEMO US-TRAVEL:

No

END MEMO US-TRAVEL:

START MEMO OTHER-TRAVEL:

1983: Republic of Angola

END MEMO OTHER-TRAVEL:

START MEMO EDUCATION:

1998: License in Law, University of Lubumbashi, Katanga;

Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC)

1990: High school diploma in Pedagogy, Institute Ukimia, Kasaji,  
Katanga, DRC

END MEMO EDUCATION:

START MEMO MEMBERSHIPS:  
None  
END MEMO MEMBERSHIPS:  
START MEMO PUBLICATIONS:  
"Report on the Encroachment of the Property of the University of Lubumbashi, 2002"(rapport sur l'empietement de la concession de l'Universite de Lubumbashi, 2002)  
END MEMO PUBLICATIONS:  
START MEMO SPEC-CONSID:  
None  
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ENGL-COMP: 1  
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READ: 4  
SPEAK: 4  
COMP: 4  
END OTHER-LANGS:  
START MEMO NOM-POST-OBJ:  
Allow Mr. Tshibanda to examine the structure, administrative, support services, financial and technological challenges facing higher education in a changing world.  
END MEMO NOM-POST-OBJ:  
START MEMO NOM-POST-RCMD:  
In addition to the planned program, the nominee should visit the American Association of Higher Education, the Organization of Public Land-Grant Colleges.  
END MEMO NOM-POST-RCMD:  
START MEMO VIS-OBJ:  
END MEMO VIS-OBJ:  
START MEMO VIS-REC:  
Mr. Tshibinda would like to learn how the American University Administration functions.  
END MEMO VIS-REC:  
NOMINATING-OFFICER: PAO  
START MEMO NOMINATING-JUSTIFICATION:  
Mr. Tshibinda has been the legal advisor to the University of Lubumbashi since 1999. The University of Lubumbashi is the second university in the DRC, after the University of Kinshasa. Academic leadership in the DRC is often hampered by the fact that appointments to leadership positions are based on cronyism and personal and political connections. Mr. Tshibinda appears to be an exception to this. He should continue to advance within the Congolese higher education system. His participation in this program will be of great long-term benefit to the Congo. The Country Team has approved this nominee.  
END MEMO NOMINATING-JUSTIFICATION:  
NOM-OFF:PAO  
SPEAKER? Yes  
NOTIFY-EMB: No  
MEDIA? No  
HOME-STAY: No  
HOME-HOSP? Yes  
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RES-CNTRY-ID: CG  
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VIS-GOVT-AMT: 0  
COMMISSION: 0  
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